Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 05 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Tuesday 06 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Monday 05 Oct 2020 at 01:01

Confidence: High for unsettled, showery spell of weather, but medium for the detail of the more challenging conditions. Potential for a spell of strong winds and heavy rain Thursday but low confidence.

Headline for Monday 05 Oct 2020: Showers, merging to longer periods of rain from west late morning and through afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 05 Oct 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms Low Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Fog	Light rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
40%	60%	90%	90%	70%	30%

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Weather: A mix of scattered showers and clear then sunny spells overnight and through to mid-morning. Showers becoming frequent and heavy at times late morning, bringing a small risk of hail and thunder. Showers merging to longer periods of rain in the far west early afternoon, then across all by late afternoon, before clearing east during the evening with isolated showers and clear spells following from the west.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Initially 60-70% at first with bases broken from 500-700m, becoming during the afternoon 10% with bases quite extensive from 450-600m.

Visibility: Outside low cloud and showers good or very good, becoming moderate or poor as rain spreads from the west later.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	22/27 NW	22/27 NW	27/33 W	28/36 W	32/41 W	27/33 W	22/26 W
600	15/19 NW	15/20 NW	20/26 W	20/27 W	23/32 W	17/24 W	13/18 W
300	9/16 NW	9/16 NW	13/21 W	14/24 W	15/28 W	10/20 W	7/15 W
Valley	10/17 NW	11/18 NW	14/24 NW	15/26 W	17/29 W	11/21 W	8/16 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	6/2	7/2	7/2	7/1	6/0	5/-1	4/-1
600	8/5	9/6	9/6	9/5	8/4	7/3	7/3
300	10/8	11/9	11/9	11/8	10/7	10/7	9/7
Valley	11/9	12/10	12/10	12/9	11/8	11/8	10/8
Freezing Level*	1900m	1900m	2000m	2000m	2000m	1800m	1600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Very wet underfoot. Best of the conditions early morning, then becoming increasingly hazardous with periods of rain coupled with extensive hill fog spreading from west.

Forecast for Tuesday 06 Oct 2020

Weather: Rather cloudy with frequent showers, turning heavy at times, particularly for the afternoon, bringing a small risk of hail and thunder.

Maximum wind: West 20-25 gusts 35mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 20% with bases broken from 450-700m.

Visibility: Good falling moderate or poor in showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 7 Celsius rising 15 Celsius during the afternoon
At 800m: Plus 3-5 Celsius
Freezing level: Above all summits

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